REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

RE: THE ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

The Examiner's allowance of claims 9 and 13 and the Examiner's indication of the allowability of the subject matter of claims 11 and 12 are respectfully acknowledged.

Allowable claim 11 has been amended to be rewritten in independent form in the same manner as in the Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 filed on June 3, 2008.

In addition, allowable claim 12 has been amended to be rewritten in independent form to include all of the limitations of its parent claim 1 and intervening claim 2.

Rejected claims 1 and 2 have been canceled, without prejudice.

No new matter has been added, no new issues with respect to patentability have been raised.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the claims be approved and entered, and it is respectfully submitted that amended independent claims 11 and 12 are now in condition for immediate allowance, along with allowed claims 9 and 13.

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In view of the foregoing, entry of this Amendment, allowance of the claims and the passing of this application to issue are respectfully solicited.

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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